



IECEX 05 Scheme Certification

Certification Process for IECEX 05 Scheme:

- Application - The applicant shall provide all necessary information as required by the certification agreement.
- Application Review - UL conducts an application review to ensure that we have received the necessary information from the applicant and that UL has the capabilities and competencies to conduct the assessment for certification. UL contacts the applicant to indicate if there is information missing from the application or indicates that the evaluation of the documentation is satisfactory and that he/she is approved to sit for the examination.
- Examination – The candidate undergoes the examination for the specified Ex Units of Competence.
- Decision on Certification – UL will notify the candidate if he/she has demonstrated competence based on the minimum requirements for the knowledge assessment. If deficiencies are noted, UL will inform the candidate of such.
- Certification Documentation Issuance – An IECEX CoPC or EFOC is issued, valid for a 5 year period, confirming compliance with the requirements of IECEX CoPC Scheme. In addition, an EFOC or CoPC wallet ID is issued by the IECEX scheme to the certified person.
- Re-Certification Process – Continued competence of the certified person and ongoing compliance with current scheme requirements is required prior to the 5 year expiration of the certificate.

Pre-Requisites for IECEX 05 Scheme:

The application form requires the following details:

- Personal information, including name, contact information, etc.
- Color photograph that is passport size and quality or electronic jpg, 150 x 200 pixels
- Units of competence requested
- Any limitations of scope for types of protection, product types, groups, and voltages
- A statement that the applicant agrees to comply with the certification requirements
- Evidence of education and training, including education history, training specific to explosive atmosphere unit of competence, work experience in non-hazardous locations as well as hazardous locations, and validation of work experience, including employer and client contact information
- Any request for accommodation of special needs

Changes to IECEX 05 Scheme Requirements:

If there is a change in the IECEX 05 Certification Scheme requirements which require additional assessment of certified persons, UL will indicate the specific methods and mechanisms required to verify that certified persons comply with the changed requirements.

This verification may be achieved by recertification or other means, such as a review of previous assessment results during the previous three year period, review of the certified person's internal external training records, relevant practical work and experience during the previous three year period, interview of the person, etc.

For more information or additional comments please contact HazLoc@ul.com.